

PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q94683

Hiroshi KUBO, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/580,403

Group Art Unit: 1614

Confirmation No.: 2089

Examiner: Zohreh VAKILI

Filed: August 18, 2006

For: COMPOSITION HAVING LIVER FUNCTION PROTECTING EFFECT

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on
October 20, 2009:

REMARKS

During the interview, the following was discussed:

1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: N/A
2. Identification of claims discussed: N/A
3. Identification of art discussed: N/A
4. Identification of principal proposed amendments: N/A
5. Brief Identification of principal arguments: N/A
6. Indication of other pertinent matters discussed: Applicant's representative had requested a new Office Action which addressed Applicant's arguments.

7. Results of Interview: The Examiner and her supervisor, SPE Marschel, stated that a new Office Action would be issued prior to October 29, 2009.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

It is believed that no petition or fee is required. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Respectfully submitted,

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